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APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of Ho, P.K.K., et al Serial No. 09/518,204 ~ For: Improved Chemical Agent Additives In Copper CMP Slurry Filing Date: 3/3/00, Group Art Unit 1746, **EXAMINER B.S. Carrillo**

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